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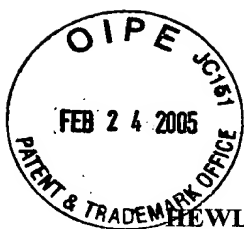
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Dear Sir:

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

In response to the Office Action dated November 24, 2004 (Paper No. 110104), please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Listing of claims which begins on page 5 of this paper.

Amendments to the Drawings begin on page 8 of this paper and include both an attached replacement sheet and an annotated sheet showing changes.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 9 of this paper.

An **Appendix** including amended drawing figures is attached following page 16 of this paper.